Coal Production below target

*88. SHRI CHIMANBHAI MEHTA : SHRI S. K. T. RAMACHANDRAN :

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that coal production is lagging behind the targets;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) what are the production and consumption statistics of various categories of coal including lignite during the last two years and so far during the current year; and

(d) what is the sale-realisation against the total bill ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF COAL WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI P. A. SANGMA) : (a) and (b) The information regarding coal production in the country is as under:—

(million tonnes)

Year	Target	Actual	Achievement (%age)
1991-92	228.00	229.28	100.6%
1992-93£ . . . . (April-October)	118.24	114.75	97%

(c) Gradewise mix of production and despatch of coal from Coal India Limited for 1990-91 and 1991-92 is as follows. Gradewise break up for the current year is yet to be compiled

(lakh tonnes)

Grade	Production		Despatch	
	1991-92	1990-91	1991-92	1990-91
COKING				
Blendable	8.01	5.00	7.42	4.16
Other coking	33.75	43.01	23.41	32.73
Steel/Washery	268.98	257.59	248.36	242.35
NLW(BCCL)	98.55	98.79	93.37	74.69
Med. Coking	6.07	6.50	5.98	6.00
NLW(WCL)	0.83	0.87	0.67	1.14
NLW(SECL)	1.01	1.07	0.87	1.07
NON COKING				
A	42.31	36.97	38.13	35.80
B	211.51	206.73	203.74	215.72
C	441.02	387.34	420.06	371.31
D	191.29	177.65	181.34	159.46
E	247.38	260.38	245.08	245.97
F	490.65	414.67	472.08	401.17
Ungreaded	0.08	0.27	4.79	6.30

Production and despatch of lignite was as follows:—

(million tonnes)

Year	Production	Despatch
1990-91	13-84	13.84
1991-92	15.80	15.80
1992-93£ . . . . . (April-October)	8.72	8.72

(d) The information is as under :—

(Rs. in crores)

Year	Sale			Realisation against billing		
	CIL	SCCL	NLC	CIL	SCCL	NLC
1990-91 . . .	6581.00	569.13	25.39	6488.00	563.68	25.89
1991-92 . . .	7573.00	851.46	26.94	7486.00	787.68	26.94
1992-93£ . . . (April-October)	5244.00	465.83*	29.45	5113.00	470.60*	29.45

£ Provisional.

* for April-September.

Setting up of a Human Rights Commission

90.* DR. NARREDDY THULASI REDDY :
SHRI J. S. RAJU :

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to appoint a Human Rights Commission;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to keep the armed forces outside the purview of the proposed Human Rights Commission; and

(d) whether the proposed Commission would also include representatives of non Governmental Organizations ?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. B. CHAVAN) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) to (d) A Chief Ministers' Conference was organised to consider various issues relating to Human Rights including the setting up a National Human Rights Commission. The Conference Welcomed the proposal and decided that a Committee of concerned Central Ministers and five Chief Ministers be set up to prepare the draft frame work of the legislation for the proposed Commission. A nine member Committee set up for the purpose under the Chairmanship of Home Minister met on 12-10-92 and decided that views of a wide cross section of society be ascertained by organising Seminars in different parts of the country. Four such Seminars have since been organised. One more seminar is likely to be organised shortly.

The matter will be further discussed in a meeting of Chief Secretaries and Director Generals of Police of major States/ Union Territories.

In the light of views expressed in the seminars and in other fora, various issues pertaining to the composition of the Commission, its terms of reference and powers etc. will be considered by the Committee under the Chairmanship of Home Minister and final proposals will be formulated.

Requirement and supply of coal to Industrial and domestic sectors

*91. SHRI MURLIDHAR CHANDRAKANT BHANDARE :
SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA :

Will the Minister of COAL be pleased to state :

(a) what was the requirement and supply of coal for industries, sector-wise; and for domestic use, during the period January to October, 1992, indicating the